GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT IN DELHI METRO RAIL PROJECT
JASWANT SINGH YADAV

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways has permitted foreign direct investment in Delhi Metro Rail project;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the extent to which funds are likely to be raised through FDI?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) No, Sir. Delhi Mass Rapid Transit System(commonly known as Delhi Metro) is being executed by Delhi Metro Rail Corporation Ltd., a joint sector company owned by the Ministry of Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation and the government of National Capital Territory of Delhi. The Ministry of Railways is not involved in the funding of Delhi Metro Rail project.

(b) & (c) Do not arise.